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SUBJ: UNHCR FINANCIAL PLAN FOR INDOCHINA REFUGEE PROGRAM  
IN THAILAND

REF: BARKER-DONNELLY TELCON

1. THERE FOLLOWS VERBATIM TEXT OF UNHCR'S REPLY TO  
QUESTIONS RAISED DURING REFERENCE TELCON:

QTE NOTE ON THAI CONTRIBUTION TO RELIEF PROGRAMME IN  
THAILAND

1. UNHCR IS NOT IN A POSITION TO GIVE A MONETARY VALUE  
TO THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE THAI GOVERNMENT TO THE CAMP  
AND RESETTLEMENT PROGRAMME IN THAILAND. THE THAI CON-  
TRIBUTION COULD BE EVALUATED HOWEVER FROM TWO MAIN KINDS  
OF RESOURCES MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE IMPELEMNTATION OF  
THE PROGRAMME.

THE USE OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED FACILITIES

2. (A) LAND FOR THE SITING OF THE CAMPS, WITH ANCILLARY  
FACILITIES SUCH AS ELECTRICITY, ACCESS ROADS, ETC., AS  
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WELL AS LAND FOR VEGETABLE GARDENING IN SOME CAMPS.

(B) ACCESS OF THE DISPLACED PERSONS TO THE LOCAL MEDICAL SERVICES, WHERE AVAILABLE, AT NO COST TO UNHCR.

(C) THE USE OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER FACILITIES FOR THE PURCHASE, STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION OF RELIEF COMMODITIES, MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT.

3. RECOURSE TO UNHCR FUNDS ARE MADE WHEN EXISTING FACILITIES ARE INADEQUATE VIZ: THE PURCHASE OF VEHICLES FOR USE IN CERTAIN PROVINCES WHERE THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED VEHICLES, THE PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL DRUGS AND MEDICINES FOR THE TREATMENT OF DISPLACED PERSONS IN THE PROVINCIAL HOSPITALS AND CLINICS, THE COSTS OF NEW CONSTRUCTIONS, ETCN IN THE CAMPS.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

4. (A) THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE RELIEF PROGRAMME AT THE PROVINCIAL LEVEL BY THE LOCAL GOVERNORS, DISTRICT OFFICERS, ETC.

(B) ADMINISTRATION AT THE CENTRAL LEVEL, BY A FULL-TIME SECRETARIAT ESPECIALLY ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR (THE OPERATIONS CENTRE FOR DISPLACED PERSONS), WORKING IN CLOSE LIAISON WITH UNHCR.

#### OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

5. BEFORE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNHCR-FUNDED PROGRAM IN AUGUST 1975, THE THAI AUTHORITIES BORE THE BRUNT OF THE FINANCIAL BURDEN OF FEEDING AND OTHERWISE CARING FOR THE DISPLACED PERSONS (45,000 PERSONS AT THE TIME).

UNHCR PROGRAMME IN THAILAND - STATUS OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO UNHCR AS AT 31 AUGUST 1976 (IN US DOLLARS)

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#### GOVERNMENTAL

AUSTRIA	27,096
CANADA	250,000
DENMARK	24,983
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	382,632
JAPAN	660,066
MAURITIUS	5,000

NETHERLANDS	208,333
NEW ZEALAND	154,639
NORWAY	134,892
PHILIPPINES	5,000
SWITZERLAND	95,715
USA	6,900,000

SUB-TOTAL 8,848,356

NON-GOVERNMENTAL

AUSTRALIA	3,788
UNITED KINGDOM	27,523

SUB-TOTAL 31,311

WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME (BILATERAL) 632,000

TOTAL 9,511,677

BALANCE OF DOLS 2,888,333 REQUIRED TO REACH TARGET OF  
DOLS 12.4 MILLION UNQTE.

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